



City of Long Beach

Rebuilding Stronger, Smarter Safer



Bayside Protection



In a post Sandy environment, the City is acting aggressively to secure not only Beach but Bayfront protection. One of the most important priorities for the City is the protection of the Bayfront for both our critical infrastructure and our residents who are vulnerable. Once the Bayfront is protected and made more resilient, opportunities for growth, housing and recreation. can be evaluated. The following is an outline of current strategies aimed at reaching this goal.

1. Plan.

Accomplishments

- ✓ ACOE Bayside Study
- ✓ North Shore Assessment Study of Infrastructure
- ✓ Bulkhead Program Developed

To Do

- Community Reconstruction Program – Stormwater Study
- Request for Proposals for evaluation & protection of critical infrastructure
- Economic Analysis/Local Waterfront Revitalization Plan update – job creation, economic opportunities, recreation opportunities (funding from DOS*)
- Planning for resiliency and sustainability – comprehensive plan, zoning, building standards updates (funding from NYSERDA & DOS*)

2. Protect.

Accomplishments

- ✓ \$13 million Bayfront Infrastructure Protection – funding commitment by Governor (11/13)
- ✓ Bulkhead & Tide Flex Valve Contract Developed and Awarded
- ✓ City Capital Plan funds Bulkheading & tide flex valves

To Do

- Community Reconstruction Program – Drainage Improvements

3. Rethink. Revitalize. Resilience.*

- Critical facility viability study & storm protection retrofitting (proposed funding through CRP/CDBG-DR*)
- Design and construct resiliency protection for community centers (proposed funding through CRP/CDBG-DR*)
- Brownfield Opportunity Area Nomination Study (awaiting next round of funding*)
- Complete Streets – connectivity to City amenities, walk-able, pedestrian and bike friendly, accessibility, green infrastructure, safe streets, etc. (funding actively being sought*)

**Funding streams include Community Reconstruction Program/Community Development Block Grant-Disaster Recovery, Department of State and New York State Energy Research Development Authority. Other funding is actively being sought on a continual basis.*

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